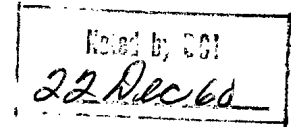


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NATIONAL SECURITY COUNCILAGENDA

For the Meeting to be held in the
Cabinet Room of The White House
on Thursday, December 22, 1960,
from 9:00 to 11:00 a.m.

The Attorney General and the Chairman, Atomic Energy Commission, are being invited to participate in the action on Items 1 and 2. The Chairmen, Interdepartmental Intelligence Conference and Interdepartmental Committee on Internal Security, are being invited to attend the meeting for Items 1 and 2.

ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATIONITEM 1 -- U. S. POLICY ON CONTINENTAL DEFENSE

(NSC 5802/1; NSC Action No. 2151-f-(1); Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, same subject, dated July 14, 1960; NSC Action No. 2300; NIE 11-8-60; NIE 11-5-59; NSC 6022)

For consideration of the draft statement of policy on the subject contained in NSC 6022.

ITEM 2 -- MEASURES FOR THE PASSIVE DEFENSE OF THE POPULATION, WITH PARTICULAR REGARD TO FALLOUT SHELTER

(NSC 5802/1; NSC 5807; NSC 5807/2; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, subject: "U. S. Policy on Continental Defense", dated July 14, 1960; NSC Action No. 2300-e; Memos for NSC from Deputy Executive Secretary, subject: "Measures for the Passive Defense of the Population, with Particular Regard to Fallout Shelters", dated December 7 and 8, 1960)

For consideration of the enclosures to the reference memorandum of December 7, 1960; in the light of the views of the Treasury Department thereon, transmitted by the reference memorandum of December 8, 1960.

ITEM FOR DISCUSSIONITEM 3 -- NATO MINISTERIAL MEETING

For discussion, in the light of an oral report by the Secretary of State on the recent Ministerial Meeting of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

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ADDITIONAL ITEM FOR CONSIDERATION

ITEM 4 -- NATO IN THE 1960'S

(NIE 20-60; SNIE 20-2-60; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, subject: "Issues of U. S. Policy Regarding the Defense Posture of NATO", dated November 10, 1959; NSC Actions Nos. 2149, 2204-c, 2274, 2292 and 2323; NSC 5906/1, paragraph 24-c; NSC 5910/1, paragraph 42-a; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, subject: "Increased Nuclear Sharing With Allies", dated August 23, 1960; NSC 6017; Memo for NSC from Executive Secretary, subject: "NATO in the 1960's", dated November 16, 1960)

For consideration of NATO basic military strategy, on the basis of NSC 6017 and the enclosure to the reference memorandum of November 16, 1960.

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